

# Awkward Position in Peace Conference

(Correspondence Associated Press)

TOKIO, Japan, June 3.—Japan occupied at the peace conference a special position—she was disinterested in the problems concerned with the

## TYPHUS DECLINES WITH CLEANING

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MEXICO CITY, June 2.—The number of typhus cases in the capital was lower during the first five months of 1919 than for many previous years and the department of health in a recent statement declares that the marked decrease in sickness is the direct result of its own care for personal hygiene.

The capital with its abnormal population of more than a million, reports not more than 125 new cases a typhus per month, whereas in former years when the city's population was normal, or about 600,000, the number of cases reported per month averaged between 1,600 and 1,800.

## FORECAST OF SILVER MARKET

BENNETT, June 25.—The week's changes in the metal market show a gain of \$140 per ton for Colorado spelter as compared with last week and a total gain of \$840 as compared with ruling prices two weeks ago. New York reports the spelter market firm with advancing tendency. The producers are indisposed to quote figures on account of the satisfactory price basis for the next month or two. There is little doubt that the amount of prime western in the hands of the smelters at the present moment is small. No figures regarding production are available, but well known plants have remained shut down for some months past closed by labor troubles, and there has been in the interim and even now taking the cost of ore, no encouragement toward extensive output.

Today there are indications of resumption of buying on the part of interests whose heavy purchases a week or ten days ago were partly responsible for the advance. The demand for export also continues active. Galvanizers in general have pre-empted stocks of metal. But for some time the market has moved quite independently of this condition, and the slow recovery of this branch of industry seems at present to have little depressing influence.

The copper market yesterday quoted at 17½¢/lb per pound for the casting brands, gives every indication of continuing firm and quiet. There are no efforts at concessions in price and in the opinion of the trade the market will hold steadily at around present prices until the new buying movement sets in when the tendency will be to continue to rise.

Producers of silver will be interested to learn that India's wheat crop, estimated at 198,000,000 bushels, is fully 125,000,000 less than the normal domestic consumption. Before the war the country's exports averaged 50,000,000 bushels a year. This season however, it must import from Australia, which has an over-supply of about 85,000,000 bushels, and will produce a new crop in December. This lessens the trade in silver from the London and other markets. Peace in Europe, however, means a brisk demand for coinage purposes and also for use in the arts. The American mint is a possible buyer of 400,000 ounces.

### JAPAN ACTIVE IN CREATING TONNAGE

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TOKIO, Japan, June 5.—Eleven steamers of over 1000 tons each, totalling 44,942 tons, were launched in Japan during April. The total for launches this year up to the end of April number 45, totalling 185,271 tons. Shipbuilders plan to launch a total of about 600,000 tons this year.

You may be mentally dead and not know it but about everybody else will.

You can fool some of the people a good deal of the time and others all the time but you can't fool the neighbor women any of the time.

Knickers—The president thinks the world is his oyster.

citizens but greatly interested in the questions bound up with the do-over—Takashi Hara, the prime minister, has told the editor of a French magazine published at Tokio the premier said:

"Japan went to the peace conference with the desire to take an active part in its work and to participate in all questions that might arise why?" Because Japan is sincerely attached to the cause of right and justice. She has proved it by closely co-operating with the allies and by subscribing without reserve to the fourteen propositions of President Wilson; she never hesitated to join with the promoters of the League of nations.

"Like the French, English and American peoples, we wish a permanent peace, better and more open relations between nations, a happier humanity. And we believe we are in a good position to judge things from the point of view of justice and right because we had fewer interests under discussion than Europe and the United States. Our attitude is impartial and our delegates at Paris showed the good faith, sincerity and optimism of our policies."

"However, violent criticisms have been addressed to us. Japan has been represented as an ambitious, aggressive nation. The preceding cabinet suffered the same accusations which were not merited. I can assure you my government is doing its best not to cause discontent to disregard proceedings which might be thought to bear a reprehensible character. The peace conference has given us an occasion to show we were not guilty of what had been reproached to us."

It not only pays to advertise, but it pays your competitor if you don't.

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District of the State of Nevada, in and for the County of Nye, on the Matter of the Estate of F. C. Lampert, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that the estate will be settled on the 13th day of June, 1919, date appointed and qualified by the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District of the State of Nevada, in and for the County of Nye, Administrator of the Estate of F. C. Lampert, late of said County, deceased.

All creditors having claims against said estate are required to file the same with proper vouchers attached, with the Clerk of the Court, within ninety days of the first publication of notice.

Dated, June 12, 1919.

HENRY HINKEL, Jr.,  
Administrator.

Lawyer, District Attorney.

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By order of the Court.

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